



Dear Potential Member:

The Oklahoma Association of Health Care Providers (OAHCP) is embarking on our 2010 annual membership drive. This year, more than ever, it is critical to work together as a team of professionals to improve the quality of long term care. The Nations economy and how it affects Oklahoma is critical to the continued improvement of long term care services. OAHCP and its members will have to be united in the fight for funding on both, the national and state levels.

OAHCP member benefits include:

- ★ AHCA Membership. We continue to join forces with the American Health Care Association and National Center for Assisted Living for a critical voice in Congress and health care reform;
- ★ Timely and accurate information on healthcare legislation, on both, the State and federal levels that directly impacts your business;
- ★ OAHCP provides a wide range of educational services at a reduced rate for our membership. These educational opportunities are up to date and pertinent to what we face on a daily basis in providing care to our residents; and
- ★ Resources for quality initiatives to improve facility programming – from leadership training, survey performance and understanding quality measures to networking opportunities.

We continue to utilize BKD in developing Medicaid reimbursement strategies. We contract with the lobby group FKG Consulting to handle our 2010 government relations needs. In addition, we have contracted with the prestigious firm of Schnake Turnbo Frank, Inc., to handle all of our public relations needs. These are but a few of the resources that OAHCP/AHCA can provide to you as a member.

Please join us in making OAHCP a better organization. Give us the ability to help our profession grow and provide the best possible care to those we serve...the elderly and disabled of Oklahoma. Your support is critical to continue our fight. Only through your participation will representation of your interests be ensured. We look forward to discussing how our combined efforts can make *your* Association continue to excel.

Sincerely,

David Rising, President
Oklahoma Association of Health Care Providers

Scott Proctor, Chair
OAHCP Membership